

I fully support getting rid of the Morse code requirement. I further support this plan completely. Morse is a thing of the past.

Let us move ahead. I believe this decision would not only benefit Novice and Technicians, but greatly benefit the young people who wish to learn and become Hams. I don't discriminate against the old timers who are pro code. They can still use it if they want. They should not force it on those of us who believe there are better ways to communicate, and are not interested in learning something that is outdated. Some of the higher license holders actually think they are better people because of it when in fact many of them can barely spell their own name. I am College educated and hold several degrees, and am a proud Technician! I Love Amateur Radio, and want to teach my own children, but I want them to learn Today's Ham Radio, not "stone age Radio".

I ask that you please consider acceptance of RM-10870. Let us all move ahead in Amateur Radio. If passed, I will use my new abilities to help support my community with emergency communications, as well as have the ability to communicate at a broader level when in a remote area. Thank You.